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FOR PURPOSES OF THE TOBACCO STOCKS REPORT

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- C-Fillers
- S-Scrap

STOCKS OF LEAF TOBACCO OWNED BY DEALERS AND MANUFACTURERS 1/ 2/

Total Leaf Tobacco Stocks Larger Than A Year Ago

Stocks of leaf tobacco in the United States and Puerto Rico totaled 5,212 million pounds (farm-sales-weight) as of April 1, 1957, based on the quarterly reports of dealers 2/ and manufacturers. This is an increase of 182 million pounds, compared with stocks reported a year earlier (5,030 million). The 1956 crop of about 2,230 million pounds was in stocks as of April 1 with the exception of around 55 million pounds consisting of Maryland and Puerto Rican types. Approximately 273 million pounds were marketed during the first quarter.

Flue-cured stocks were up 10 percent for the most significant increase compared with a year earlier. Other kinds of tobacco showing increases from a year ago were fire-cured (up 4 percent), dark air-cured (up 2 percent), cigar-wrapper (up 3 percent), and foreign-grown cigar-leaf (up 14 percent). Larger inventories of Philippine (Manila) tobacco accounted for the increase in foreign-grown cigar-leaf. Stocks of Burley leaf were down slightly from the previous April 1, and significant decreases were shown for cigar-filler (down 6 percent), Maryland (down 11 percent), and cigar-binder (down 12 percent).

Stocks as of April 1, 1957, included about 1,116 million pounds (farm-sales-weight) of leaf tobacco under Government loans (1,006 million pounds as of April 1, 1956). These loan stocks were divided as follows: flue-cured 671 million pounds, Burley 320 million, Maryland 6.1 million, fire-cured 60.8 million, dark air-cured 35.1 million, and cigar-leaf 22.8 million.

1/ Figures quoted for type totals in this summary are the farm-sales-weight equivalent of reported stocks except foreign-grown leaf which is converted to an unstemmed equivalent basis only. (See tables in body of report for reported weight basis). This report is issued quarterly.

2/ All Government loan stocks are reported by Grower Cooperatives, which are considered dealers for stocks-reporting purposes.

CIGARETTE-LEAF STOCKS

Flue-cured Stocks Larger Than on Last April 1
Burley and Maryland Holdings Smaller

Flue-cured stocks totaled 2,770 million pounds as of April 1, 1957, an increase of 251 million over holdings a year earlier (2,519 million). About 2 million pounds entered stocks through sales in early January.

Inventories of Burley were reported at 1,559 million pounds this April 1, a decrease of 6 million from stocks of this type held a year ago (1,565 million). Sales during the quarter totaled about 90 million pounds, the amount remaining to be sold from the 1956 crop after the Christmas holidays.

Maryland holdings -- reported at 60.7 million pounds on April 1, 1957 -- were nearly 8 million less than stocks held on last April 1 (68.6 million). The 1956 crop, estimated at 38.5 million pounds, will be marketed during the period May-July, 1957.

Foreign-grown cigarette and smoking tobacco stocks (Turkish and other) of 174.7 million pounds on April 1, 1957, were 38 million pounds under the record-high holdings of a year ago (212.7 million).

DARK TOBACCO STOCKS

Fire-cured and Dark Air-cured Inventories
Show Increases Over Stocks Reported April 1, 1956

Fire-cured stocks, reported at 171.8 million pounds on April 1, 1957, were 6.5 million pounds more than holdings on the same date last year (165.3 million). An increase reported in Type 22 more than compensated for a decrease in Type 21. Stocks of Type 23 were about the same as on the previous April 1. Marketings of the 1956 crop, completed during the first quarter, totaled 70.1 million pounds. Virginia fire-cured stocks on this April 1 were 27.5 million pounds, Kentucky and Tennessee Eastern District, 113.8 million, and Western District, 30.4 million.

Dark air-cured inventories totaling 99.8 million pounds on April 1, 1957, were 1.7 million larger than those reported a year ago (98.1 million). Holdings of Types 35 and 37 were larger, and those of Type 36 slightly smaller than stocks on hand a year ago. Sales of the 1956 crop of 33.5 million pounds were completed during the January-March quarter. Inventories of dark air-cured as of April 1, 1957, by types, were as follows: One Sucker 59.7 million pounds, Green River 33.3 million, and Virginia sun-cured 6.8 million.

CIGAR LEAF STOCKS

Holdings of Domestic Cigar-leaf Lower Than A Year Ago
Foreign-grown Cigar-leaf Stocks Larger

Inventories of all domestic-grown cigar tobacco, including Puerto Rican, totaled 347.3 million pounds (farm-sales-weight) on April 1, 1957. This is a decrease of 28.9 million pounds, or about 8 percent, compared with stocks reported a year ago (376.2 million). Except for part of the 1956-57 Puerto Rican filler crop, practically all of the 1956 cigar-leaf production was in stocks by this April 1. Holdings of foreign-grown cigar-leaf were 23.8 million pounds (unstemmed equivalent), an increase of 2.8 million pounds, or 14 percent, over stocks reported on April 1 the previous year (21.0 million).

Holdings of the cigar-filler types as of April 1, 1957, totaled 205.4 million pounds -- 13.3 million smaller than the figure reported on last April 1 (218.7 million). Stocks in all types were lower than those held a year ago, the decrease of 10 million pounds in Puerto Rican accounting for most of the difference. Cigar-filler leaf inventories by types on April 1, 1957, were as follows: Pennsylvania filler 125.0 million, Ohio filler 26.3 million, and Puerto Rican filler 54.1 million.

Cigar-binder stocks totaled 120.1 million pounds on April 1, 1957 -- a decrease of 16.3 million from stocks reported a year earlier (136.4 million). Holdings of all types were lower, the largest decreases (about 17.5 percent in each) being reported in Types 51 and 52. Connecticut Valley Broadleaf stocks this April 1 were 31.0 million pounds, Connecticut Valley Havana Seed 23.8 million, New York and Pennsylvania Havana Seed 1.2 million, Southern Wisconsin 26.7 million, and Northern Wisconsin 37.4 million.

Shade-grown cigar-wrapper stocks of 21.8 million pounds on April 1, 1957, were 0.6 million more than those on hand a year earlier (21.2 million). The increase was accounted for in Type 61 stocks, holdings of Type 62 remaining about the same as those reported on April 1, 1956. As of April 1, 1957, stocks of Connecticut Valley Shade were 13.4 million pounds, and of Georgia-Florida Shade, 8.4 million.

Stocks of Cuban leaf (Havana), reported at 16.1 million pounds, were down slightly as compared with the same date a year ago; holdings of Sumatra and Java leaf -- 0.1 million -- were down about 45 percent from the previous April 1; and Philippine Islands (Manila) inventories totaling 7.5 million were more than twice as large as stocks on hand a year ago.

TABLE 1.--Average percentage of weight remaining after handling, sweating, drying, and stemming, and factors used for adjusting stocks reported by dealers and manufacturers to a farm-sales-weight equivalent, by types of tobacco 1/

Type	Type No.	Yield realized from farm-sales-weight to --			Stemming		Factors used to multiply by to convert reported stocks of	
		Packed in domestic order			Yield from actual weight at time of operation	Yield from farm-sales weight	Stemmed stocks to unstemmed equivalent	Unstemmed stocks to farm-sales-weight equivalent 2/
		Packed weight	to the end of --					
			One year in storage	Two years in storage				
		Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Factor	Factor
SOUTHERN TYPES (11-37)								
Flue-cured	11-14	90.0	89.1	88.7	78.0	69.0	1.282	1.12
Virginia fire-cured	21	81.0	80.0	80.0	77.0	62.0	1.299	1.24
Tenn. and Ky. fire-cured	22-23	98.5	94.6	92.7	76.0	69.5	1.316	1.04
Burley	31	90.0	88.2	87.3	74.0	64.0	1.351	1.12
Southern Maryland	32	100.0	96.0	94.1	74.0	69.0	1.351	1.02
One Sucker	35	92.0	90.2	88.8	70.0	61.5	1.429	1.09
Green River	36	90.0	87.3	86.0	76.0	64.5	1.316	1.13
Virginia sun-cured	37	86.0	85.0	85.0	76.0	65.0	1.316	1.16
CIGAR LEAF TYPES (41-62)								
Pennsylvania Seedleaf	41	97.3	84.0	82.0	72.0	58.0	1.387	3/
Gebhardt	42	97.1	83.3	80.9	73.0	58.0	(	
Zimmer	43	95.9	83.0	80.8	71.5	56.5	(1.387	3/
Dutch	44	96.7	84.1	81.7	70.5	56.5	(	
Puerto Rico	46	88.0	83.6	82.0	78.5	64.5	(1.275	1.17
Connecticut Broadleaf	51	97.0	85.4	83.1	77.5	62.5	1.292	3/
Connecticut Havana Seed	52	97.0	85.0	83.1	77.0	62.5	1.299	3/
N. Y. and Pa. Havana Seed	53	91.0	82.9	80.9	73.5	58.5	1.364	3/
Southern Wisconsin	54	96.3	81.5	79.1	77.0	59.5	1.300	3/
Northern Wisconsin	55	93.7	82.4	80.6	75.0	59.0	1.333	3/
Connecticut Shade	61	91.1	86.3	84.4	81.5	67.5	1.224	3/
Ga. and Fla. Shade	62	89.1	84.5	82.3	83.0	67.0	1.205	3/
MISCELLANEOUS DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN GROWN TYPES (72-90)								
Miscellaneous Domestic	72-77	--	--	--	--	--	1.333	1.09
Foreign-grown cigar leaf	81-84	--	--	--	--	--	1.205	4/
Foreign-grown cigarette and smoking tobacco	90	--	--	--	--	--	1.205	4/

1/ Information in this table taken from U. S. Department of Agriculture Circular 435, Tobacco Shrinkages and Losses in Weight in Handling and Storage, issued in July 1937. 2/ Factors for converting unstemmed stocks to farm-sales weight are adjusted on the basis of an average loss on the reported weight and should not be taken as indicative of full shrinkage after handling, sweating, and storage. 3/ See footnote 1 on page 5 for conversion factors to farm-sales-weight equivalent for cigar leaf except Type 46. 4/ Foreign-grown stocks not converted to farm-sales-weight equivalent.

Table 2.-Stocks of leaf tobacco owned by dealers and manufacturers, by types, converted to a farm-sales-weight equivalent, April 1, 1957, compared with other quarters 1/

FARM-SALES WEIGHT

Type name	U.S. type number	April 1, 1957	April 1, 1956	April 1, 1955	January 1, 1957	October 1, 1956	July 1, 1956
		1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Flue-cured	11-14	2,770,155	2,518,906	2,301,093	3,029,160	2,664,433	2,258,299
Virginia fire-cured	21	27,532	30,137	30,943	25,590	24,424	27,580
Tennessee and Kentucky fire-cured (Eastern District)	22	113,840	104,956	104,244	79,825	88,789	97,709
Kentucky and Tennessee fire-cured (Western District)	23	30,404	30,219	29,934	20,092	24,447	27,581
Total Fire-cured	21-23	171,776	165,312	165,121	125,507	137,660	152,870
Burley	31	1,558,913	1,564,758	1,610,787	1,553,108	1,300,954	1,435,572
Low-nicotine	31-V	64	155	449	72	69	104
Southern Maryland	32	60,741	68,552	60,215	69,729*	77,212	76,188
Total Light Air-cured	31-32	1,619,718	1,633,465	1,671,451	1,622,909*	1,378,235	1,511,864
One Sucker	35	59,727	58,725	55,892	51,693	50,746	54,730
Green River	36	33,327	33,788	31,934	30,701	30,085	31,151
Virginia sun-cured	37	6,750	5,628	5,447	5,007	4,589	5,191
Total Dark Air-cured	35-37	99,804	98,141	93,273	87,401	85,420	91,072
Pennsylvania Seedleaf	41	125,003	127,376	131,267	92,503	103,684	115,128
Ohio Filler (Miami Valley)	42-44	26,271	26,980	27,302	21,921	23,244	25,219
Puerto Rican:							
In United States	46	31,257	33,777	27,910	34,175	31,485	30,587
In Puerto Rico	46	22,848	30,557	26,701	15,036	26,117	40,360
Total Cigar-filler	41-46	205,379	218,690	213,180	163,635	184,530	211,294
Connecticut Valley Broadleaf	51	30,991	37,560	36,327	29,012	30,846	35,102
Connecticut Valley Havana Seed	52	23,801	28,842	29,428	23,107	21,621	23,953
New York and Pa. Havana Seed	53	1,221	1,096	2,062	794	767	855
Southern Wisconsin	54	26,652	29,939	33,479	23,279	25,358	27,334
Northern Wisconsin	55	37,448	38,921	39,936	28,237	31,765	36,089
Total Cigar-binder	51-55	120,113	136,358	141,232	104,429	110,357	123,333
Connecticut shade	61	13,396	12,682	13,496	15,178	12,085	10,552
Georgia and Florida shade	62	8,431	8,479	8,217	9,154	9,718	6,435
Total Cigar-wrapper	61-62	21,827	21,161	21,713	24,332	21,803	16,987
Perique	72	783	802	839	719	748	739
Other Miscellaneous Domestic 2/	73	3,500	3,328	875	3,100	3,029	3,695
Domestic Aromatic	77	455	483	238	436	358	338
Total Miscellaneous Domestic	72-77	4,738	4,613	1,952	4,255	4,135	4,772
Cuba (Havana) 3/	81	16,086	17,344	17,035	14,944	16,466	16,308
Sumatra and Java 3/	82	88	157	338	99	115	118
Philippine Islanda (Manila) 3/	83	7,497	3,492	1,421	6,538	5,318	4,172
Other foreign-grown cigar-leaf 3/	84	165	-	-	27	-	-
Total Foreign-grown Cigar-leaf 3/	81-84	23,836	20,993	18,794	21,608	21,899	20,598
Foreign-grown cigarette & smoking tobacco (Turkish and other) 3/	90	174,698	212,675	190,807	169,593	174,473	195,476
Total all types	11-90	5,212,044	5,030,314	4,818,616	5,352,829*	4,782,945	4,586,565

1/ For factor used in converting weights see table 1 except for cigar leaf. The instructions for reporting unstemmed cigar-leaf of the domestic types require dealers and manufacturers to indicate the weight basis on which the tobacco is reported, namely farm-sales weight, marked weight, or sweated weight. The stocks are converted to the farm-sales-weight equivalent on the basis of the amount reported in these three categories. The conversion factors by types of tobacco for April 1, 1957 are as follows: Type 41, 107; Types 42-44, 114; Type 51, 106; Type 52, 106; Type 53, 109; Type 54, 102; Type 55, 104; Type 61, 109; Type 62, 114. April 1, 1957 figures subject to revision.

2/ For explanation of stocks included in this classification, see footnote 4 on page y.

3/ Foreign-grown leaf is converted to an unstemmed equivalent basis only.

* Revisions in January 1, 1957 report.

Table 3 .-Stocks of leaf tobacco, by types and groups of grades, owned by dealers and manufacturers, April 1, 1957 compared with April 1, 1956, and January 1, 1957

(REPORTED WEIGHT)

TYPES 11-14 - FLUE-CURED

Group	April 1, 1957 1/			April 1, 1956			January 1, 1957		
	Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total	Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total	Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Type 11, Old and Middle Belt flue-cured									
A	1,617	-	1,617	1,869	-	1,869	1,699	-	1,699
B	163,244	61,629	224,873	149,418	50,103	199,521	184,568	73,124	257,692
C	68,870	34,082	102,952	67,957	33,970	101,927	85,818	38,291	124,109
X	160,762	202,715	363,477	147,288	168,652	315,940	171,854	211,956	383,810
S	5,420	8,592	14,012	4,535	7,906	12,441	6,489	9,174	15,663
N	19,442	3,292	22,734	16,286	2,729	19,019	19,369	3,237	22,606
Total	419,355	310,310	729,665	387,353	263,360	650,713	469,797	335,782	805,579
Type 12, Eastern North Carolina flue-cured									
A	2,501	-	2,501	3,394	-	3,394	5,250	148	5,398
B	172,024	52,702	224,726	111,313	49,182	160,495	182,909	60,431	243,340
C	94,745	46,812	141,557	99,009	53,732	152,741	109,252	51,899	161,151
X	176,526	197,795	374,321	154,326	184,297	338,623	179,164	214,381	393,545
S	6,559	4,745	11,304	3,830	6,072	9,902	6,492	5,317	11,809
N	17,743	2,544	20,287	15,842	1,982	17,824	19,941	2,680	22,621
Total	470,098	304,598	774,696	387,714	295,265	682,979	503,008	334,856	837,864
Type 13, South Carolina flue-cured (including southeastern North Carolina)									
A	2,440	-	2,440	1,398	-	1,398	2,484	-	2,484
B	108,429	25,468	133,897	78,994	22,952	101,946	116,149	29,455	145,604
C	66,315	29,139	95,454	68,293	36,865	105,158	77,438	32,902	110,340
X	115,567	103,602	219,169	100,573	102,832	203,405	120,109	114,537	234,646
S	3,118	2,953	6,071	1,994	3,519	5,513	3,377	3,287	6,664
N	5,924	703	6,627	5,719	959	6,678	7,027	593	7,620
Total	301,793	161,865	463,658	256,971	167,127	424,098	326,584	180,774	507,358
Type 14, Georgia and Florida flue-cured									
B	26,969	24,990	51,959	23,177	20,118	43,295	28,871	28,038	56,909
C	3,081	47,585	50,666	4,569	61,407	65,976	2,132	62,494	64,626
X	9,476	114,653	124,129	10,323	106,654	116,977	10,724	116,322	127,046
S	2,590	2,204	4,794	1,526	2,732	4,258	2,286	2,357	4,643
N	1,161	121	1,282	1,934	229	2,163	1,320	130	1,450
Total	43,277	189,553	232,830	41,529	191,140	232,669	45,333	209,341	254,674
Types 11-14, - Total flue-cured									
A	6,558	-	6,558	6,661	-	6,661	9,433	148	9,581
B	470,666	164,789	635,455	362,902	142,355	505,257	512,497	191,048	703,545
C	233,011	157,618	390,629	239,828	185,974	425,802	274,640	185,586	460,226
X	462,331	618,765	1,081,096	412,510	562,435	974,945	481,851	657,196	1,139,047
S	17,687	18,494	36,181	11,885	20,229	32,114	18,644	20,135	38,779
N	44,270	6,660	50,930	39,781	5,899	45,680	47,657	6,640	54,297
Total	1,234,523	966,326	2,200,849	1,073,567	916,892	1,990,459	1,344,722	1,060,753	2,405,475

TYPES 21-23 - FIRE-CURED

Type 21, Virginia fire-cured									
A	405	-	405	412	-	412	319	-	319
B	11,040	10	11,050	11,416	13	11,429	10,016	11	10,027
C	3,828	80	3,908	4,196	35	4,231	3,462	22	3,484
X	6,599	140	6,739	7,638	93	7,731	6,172	104	6,276
S-N	17	12	29	380	61	441	295	150	445
Total	21,889	242	22,131	24,042	202	24,244	20,264	287	20,551
Type 22, Tennessee and Kentucky fire-cured, (Eastern District)									
A	5,973	4	5,977	6,738	7	6,745	4,653	1	4,654
B	53,747	293	54,040	49,235	439	49,674	41,725	373	42,098
C	12,189	-	12,189	9,775	60	9,835	5,987	73	6,060
X	32,835	5	32,840	31,029	1	31,030	21,293	4	21,297
S-N	4,211	83	4,294	3,229	187	3,416	2,428	57	2,485
Total	108,955	385	109,340	100,006	694	100,700	76,086	508	76,594
Type 23, Kentucky and Tennessee fire-cured (Western District)									
A	166	-	166	128	-	128	74	-	74
B	13,785	6	13,791	13,077	24	13,101	9,246	26	9,272
C	6,636	-	6,636	5,863	15	5,878	3,626	-	3,626
X	7,141	5	7,146	8,147	5	8,152	5,035	5	5,040
S-N	1,331	123	1,454	1,779	4	1,783	1,295	2	1,297
Total	29,059	134	29,193	28,994	48	29,042	19,276	33	19,309
Types 21-23, - Total fire-cured									
A	6,544	4	6,548	7,278	7	7,285	5,046	1	5,047
B	78,572	309	78,881	73,728	476	74,204	60,987	410	61,397
C	22,653	80	22,733	19,834	110	19,944	13,075	95	13,170
X	46,575	150	46,725	46,814	99	46,913	32,500	113	32,613
S-N	5,559	218	5,777	5,388	252	5,640	4,018	209	4,227
Total	159,903	761	160,664	153,042	944	153,986	115,626	828	116,454

See footnotes at end of table.

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Table 3.-Stocks of leaf tobacco, by types and groups of grades, owned by dealers and manufacturers, April 1, 1957 compared with April 1, 1956, and January 1, 1957 - Cont'd.
(REPORTED WEIGHT)

TYPES 31-32 - LIGHT AIR-CURED

Type 31, Burley

Group	April 1, 1957 1/			April 1, 1956			January 1, 1957		
	Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total	Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total	Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
B(Bright)	110,886	132,197	243,083	165,528	109,618	275,146	164,280	96,667	260,947
B(Red)	40,140	19,154	59,294	52,843	14,506	67,349	50,018	11,769	61,787
T(Bright)	20,192	29,533	49,725	30,697	36,432	67,129	29,210	21,349	50,559
T(Red)	31,100	7,655	38,755	47,798	7,933	55,731	44,687	5,808	50,495
C	350,471	172,654	523,125	332,176	143,796	475,972	410,613	129,477	540,090
X	126,719	148,376	275,095	121,716	149,944	271,660	135,961	128,951	264,912
S	7,494	9,325	16,819	4,571	8,298	12,869	5,267	7,999	13,266
N	2,033	1,352	3,385	4,026	1,531	5,557	1,830	1,265	3,095
Total	689,035	520,246	1,209,281	759,355	472,058	1,231,413	841,866	403,285	1,245,151
Type 31-V, Low Nicotine									
Total	6	38	44	50	65	115	7	42	49
Type 32, Southern Maryland									
B	12,049	558	12,607	13,081	245	13,326	11,975	575	12,550
C	12,470	15,413	27,883	12,978	13,942	26,920	14,099	16,356	30,455
X	5,608	1,054	6,662	6,043	800	6,843	7,431	1,224	8,655
S	233	750	983	381	3,017	3,398	282	1,197	1,479
N	5,069	79	5,148	10,352	37	10,389	8,263	124	8,387
Total	35,429	17,854	53,283	42,835	18,041	60,876	42,050	19,476	61,526

TYPES 35-37 - DARK AIR-CURED

Type 35, One Sucker

A	1,244	-	1,244	1,591	-	1,591	1,255	-	1,255
B	22,444	644	23,088	21,034	14	21,048	19,902	25	19,927
C	11,124	110	11,234	10,739	10	10,749	9,265	5	9,270
X	13,804	548	14,352	14,399	713	15,112	11,685	387	12,072
S-N	3,392	648	4,040	3,769	903	4,672	3,606	781	4,387
Total	52,008	1,950	53,958	51,532	1,640	53,172	45,713	1,198	46,911
Type 36, Green River									
A	238	-	238	358	-	358	269	-	269
B	15,368	231	15,599	15,176	201	15,377	14,361	156	14,517
C	4,074	413	4,487	3,331	-	3,331	3,523	-	3,523
X	6,224	615	6,839	6,200	899	7,099	5,560	768	6,328
S-N	1,270	503	1,773	2,636	572	3,208	1,394	643	2,037
Total	27,174	1,762	28,936	27,701	1,672	29,373	25,107	1,567	26,674
Type 37, Virginia sun-cured									
A	56	-	56	26	-	26	28	-	28
B	2,259	21	2,280	1,744	20	1,764	1,639	5	1,644
C	607	174	781	538	17	555	412	22	434
X	2,577	35	2,612	2,140	217	2,357	1,900	197	2,097
S-N	16	1	17	66	3	69	32	8	40
Total	5,515	231	5,746	4,514	257	4,771	4,011	232	4,243
Types 35-37, - Total dark air-cured									
A	1,538	-	1,538	1,975	-	1,975	1,552	-	1,552
B	40,071	896	40,967	37,954	235	38,189	35,902	186	36,088
C	15,805	697	16,502	14,608	27	14,635	13,200	27	13,227
X	22,605	1,198	23,803	22,739	1,829	24,568	19,145	1,352	20,497
S-N	4,678	1,152	5,830	6,471	1,478	7,949	5,032	1,432	6,464
Total	84,697	3,943	88,640	83,747	3,569	87,316	74,831	2,997	77,828

TYPES 41-46 - CIGAR LEAF FILLER

Type 41, Pennsylvania Seedleaf

B	4,592	70	4,662	6,535	60	6,595	3,644	94	3,738
C	73,761	3,078	76,839	73,829	2,744	76,573	54,593	2,963	57,556
X	16,159	197	16,356	14,420	74	14,494	9,321	122	9,443
Y	13,951	885	14,836	15,645	535	16,180	10,321	943	11,264
S	132	1,704	1,836	50	1,967	2,017	101	1,409	1,510
Total	108,595	5,934	114,529	110,479	5,380	115,859	77,980	5,531	83,511
Types 42-44, Ohio Filler (Miami Valley)									
C	17,782	15	17,797	18,067	16	18,083	14,115	19	14,134
X	2,738	-	2,738	2,945	-	2,945	2,300	3	2,303
Y	994	748	1,742	1,148	736	1,884	1,086	746	1,832
S	7	336	343	3	483	486	4	475	479
Total	21,521	1,099	22,620	22,163	1,235	23,398	17,505	1,243	18,748

See footnotes at end of table.

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Table 3.-Stocks of leaf tobacco, by types and groups of grades, owned by dealers and manufacturers, April 1, 1957 compared with April 1, 1956, and January 1, 1957 - Cont'd.
(REPORTED WEIGHT)

TYPES 41-46 - CIGAR LEAF FILLER - Cont'd.

Type 46, Puerto Rican (In Continental United States)

Group	April 1, 1957 1/			April 1, 1956			January 1, 1957		
	Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total	Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total	Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
C	8	15,842	15,850	157	18,400	18,557	40	17,155	17,195
X	2,776	1,348	4,124	2,372	328	2,700	2,199	424	2,623
Y	80	213	293	54	577	631	1,265	1,056	2,321
S	215	1,135	1,350	11	1,303	1,314	308	1,284	1,592
Total	3,079	18,538	21,617	2,594	20,608	23,202	3,812	19,919	23,731

Type 46, Puerto Rican (In Puerto Rico)

C	7,880	1,251	9,131	10,313	1,313	11,626	1,998	2,315	4,313
X	4,426	3,191	7,617	8,865	1,757	10,622	4,245	1,698	5,943
Y	509	110	619	1,139	368	1,507	135	21	156
S-N	46	677	723	295	880	1,175	171	909	1,080
Total	12,861	5,229	18,090	20,612	4,318	24,930	6,549	4,943	11,492

Type 46, - Total Puerto Rican

C	7,888	17,093	24,981	10,470	19,713	30,183	2,038	19,470	21,508
X	7,202	4,539	11,741	11,237	2,085	13,322	6,444	2,122	8,566
Y	589	323	912	1,193	945	2,138	1,400	1,077	2,477
S-N	261	1,812	2,073	306	2,183	2,489	479	2,193	2,672
Total	15,940	23,767	39,707	23,206	24,926	48,132	10,361	24,862	35,223

TYPES 51-55 - CIGAR LEAF BINDER

Type 51, Connecticut Valley Broadleaf

A	1,023	2	1,025	1,186	1	1,187	1,419	3	1,422
B	22,952	148	23,100	29,215	195	29,410	20,697	126	20,823
C	377	-	377	517	-	517	310	-	310
X	4,274	146	4,420	4,295	122	4,417	4,370	146	4,516
S	10	169	179	17	101	118	9	162	171
Total	28,636	465	29,101	35,230	419	35,649	26,805	437	27,242

Type 52, Connecticut Valley Havana Seed

A	1,180	2	1,182	714	1	715	568	2	570
B	17,647	115	17,762	23,204	127	23,331	17,405	70	17,475
C	295	-	295	123	1	124	732	-	732
X	3,001	93	3,094	3,118	72	3,190	2,816	103	2,919
S	-	45	45	2	36	38	1	38	39
Total	22,123	255	22,378	27,161	237	27,398	21,522	213	21,735

Type 53, New York and Pennsylvania Havana Seed

B	79	2	81	34	1	35	75	2	77
X	993	-	993	935	20	955	634	-	634
S	-	33	33	2	18	20	4	9	13
Total	1,072	35	1,107	971	39	1,010	713	11	724

Type 54, Southern Wisconsin

B	1,295	-	1,295	2,442	-	2,442	1,164	-	1,164
C	-	-	-	1,084	-	1,084	-	129	129
X	24,248	448	24,696	14,821	670	15,491	20,717	424	21,141
S	4	-	4	9,848	1	9,849	1	-	1
Total	25,547	448	25,995	28,195	671	28,866	21,882	553	22,435

Type 55, Northern Wisconsin

B	10,275	137	10,412	12,992	107	13,099	7,743	112	7,855
C	3,192	8	3,200	114	252	366	2,384	64	2,448
X	21,116	778	21,894	19,183	844	20,027	15,586	596	16,182
S	91	78	169	3,122	40	3,162	1	112	113
Total	34,674	1,001	35,675	35,411	1,243	36,654	25,714	884	26,598

TYPES 61-62 - CIGAR LEAF WRAPPER

Type 61, Connecticut Shade

A	11,101	12	11,113	10,529	34	10,563	12,928	10	12,938
B	749	1	750	735	1	736	817	-	817
C	198	-	198	190	4	194	206	-	206
S	45	148	193	43	74	117	48	142	190
Total	12,093	161	12,254	11,497	113	11,610	13,999	152	14,151

Type 62, Georgia and Florida Shade

A	6,898	174	7,072	7,163	11	7,174	7,709	15	7,724
B	238	-	238	146	-	146	126	-	126
C	21	1	22	65	31	96	15	165	180
S	-	23	23	4	8	12	22	10	32
Total	7,157	198	7,355	7,378	50	7,428	7,872	190	8,062

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Table 3 .-Stocks of leaf tobacco, by types and groups of grades, owned by dealers and manufacturers, April 1, 1957 compared with April 1, 1956, and January 1, 1957 - Cont'd.

(REPORTED WEIGHT)

GROUP SUMMARY ALL CIGAR TOBACCO 2/

Class	Group A	Group B	Group C	Group X	Group Y	Group S-N	Total
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
April 1, 1957 1/							
Filler, Types 41-46 3/	-	4,662	119,617	30,835	17,490	4,252	176,856
Binder, Types 51-55	2,207	52,650	3,872	55,097	-	430	114,256
Wrapper, Types 61-62	18,185	988	220	-	-	216	19,609
Foreign, Types 81-84	929	-	14,186	-	-	6,177	21,292
Total	21,321	58,300	137,895	85,932	17,490	11,075	332,013
April 1, 1956							
Filler, Types 41-46 3/	-	6,595	124,839	30,761	20,202	4,992	187,389
Binder, Types 51-55	1,902	68,317	2,091	44,080	-	13,187	129,577
Wrapper, Types 61-62	17,737	882	290	-	-	129	19,038
Foreign, Types 81-84	880	-	11,051	-	-	6,789	18,720
Total	20,519	75,794	138,271	74,841	20,202	25,097	354,724
January 1, 1957							
Filler, Types 41-46 3/	-	3,738	93,198	20,312	15,573	4,661	137,482
Binder, Types 51-55	1,992	47,394	3,619	45,392	-	337	98,734
Wrapper, Types 61-62	20,662	943	386	-	-	222	22,213
Foreign, Types 81-84	1,036	-	10,802	-	-	7,229	19,067
Total	23,690	52,075	108,005	65,704	15,573	12,449	277,496

TYPES 72-77 - MISCELLANEOUS DOMESTIC

Type 72, Perique

Group	April 1, 1957 1/ Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total	April 1, 1956 Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total	January 1, 1957 Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Total	-	539	539	-	552	552	-	495	495
Type 73, Other miscellaneous domestic 4/									
Total	813	1,799	2,612	147	2,180	2,327	159	2,014	2,173
Type 77, Domestic Aromatic									
Total	417	-	417	443	-	443	400	-	400
Types 72-77, - Total miscellaneous domestic									
Total	1,230	2,338	3,568	590	2,732	3,322	559	2,509	3,068

TYPES 81-84 - FOREIGN-GROWN CIGAR-LEAF

Type 81, Cuba (Havana)									
A	820	40	860	714	9	723	928	12	940
C	4,337	3,480	7,817	4,135	4,825	8,960	3,832	3,730	7,562
S	2,699	3,310	6,009	2,172	3,733	5,905	1,596	3,385	4,981
Total	7,856	6,830	14,686	7,021	8,567	15,588	6,356	7,127	13,483
Type 82, Sumatra and Java 5/									
A	56	13	69	157	-	157	83	13	96
C	4	10	14	-	-	-	-	-	-
S	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	60	23	83	157	-	157	83	13	96
Type 83, Philippine Islands (Manila)									
C	782	5,408	6,190	415	1,676	2,091	167	3,046	3,213
S	21	147	168	37	847	884	42	2,206	2,248
Total	803	5,555	6,358	452	2,523	2,975	209	5,252	5,461
Type 84, Other foreign-grown cigar-leaf									
Total	163	2	165	-	-	-	27	-	27

TYPE 90 - FOREIGN-GROWN CIGARETTE AND SMOKING TOBACCO (TURKISH AND OTHER)

Total	174,698	-	174,698	212,675	-	212,675	169,593	-	169,593

TYPES 11-90 - TOTAL ALL TYPES

Total	2,665,761	1,557,279	4,223,040	2,635,182	1,459,704	4,094,886	2,820,282	1,536,358	4,356,640

1/ Subject to revision.
2/ Summary according to groups of grades reflecting a broad quality breakdown of total cigar leaf stocks.
3/ Includes Puerto Rican on the Island, Type 46.
4/ Although Type 73 is defined as all domestic types of tobacco not otherwise classified, the bulk of the stocks reported in this type consists of cuttings, clippings, and trimmings. This is the result, in most instances, of the inability of reporters to designate cuttings, clippings, and trimmings in the "S" group of the types to which they properly belong.
5/ Does not include Sumatra and Java leaf held for sale in the Free Trade Zone.

Table 4.-Stocks of leaf tobacco, by types, showing separately quantities owned by dealers and manufacturers April 1, 1957, compared with April 1, 1956 1/

REPORTED WEIGHT

U.S. Type number	Reported as owned by manufacturers 2/				Reported as owned by dealers (including loan stocks) 2/			
	April 1, 1957			April 1, 1956	April 1, 1957			April 1, 1956
	Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total		Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total	
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
11	174,201	298,474	472,675	450,299	245,154	11,836	256,990	200,414
12	156,212	290,570	446,782	463,168	313,886	14,028	327,914	219,811
13	111,107	153,913	265,020	274,607	190,686	7,952	198,638	149,491
14	5,752	171,112	176,864	178,053	37,525	18,441	55,966	54,616
11-14	447,272	914,069	1,361,341	1,366,127	787,251	52,257	839,508	624,332
21	10,851	230	11,081	11,812	11,038	12	11,050	12,432
22	56,519	365	56,884	56,131	52,436	20	52,456	44,569
23	9,130	5	9,135	10,023	19,929	129	20,058	19,019
21-23	76,500	600	77,100	77,966	83,403	161	83,564	76,020
31	376,565	506,530	883,095	830,865	312,470	13,716	326,186	400,548
31-V	6	38	44	81	-	-	-	34
32	14,185	17,672	31,857	34,116	21,244	182	21,426	26,760
31-32	390,756	524,240	914,996	865,062	333,714	13,898	347,612	427,342
35	21,960	1,880	23,840	20,651	30,048	70	30,118	32,521
36	14,622	1,728	16,350	15,880	12,552	34	12,586	13,493
37	4,461	224	4,685	3,518	1,054	7	1,061	1,253
35-37	41,043	3,832	44,875	40,049	43,654	111	43,765	47,267
41	87,284	5,644	92,928	90,167	21,311	290	21,601	25,692
42-44	17,571	1,067	18,638	19,018	3,950	32	3,982	4,380
46 3/	4,398	20,140	24,538	24,527	11,542	3,627	15,169	23,605
41-46	109,253	26,851	136,104	133,712	36,803	3,949	40,752	53,677
51	17,294	388	17,682	23,311	11,342	77	11,419	12,338
52	10,899	222	11,121	15,010	11,224	33	11,257	12,388
53	1,020	35	1,055	1,010	52	-	52	-
54	24,133	377	24,510	24,208	1,414	71	1,485	4,658
55	25,391	651	26,042	26,120	9,283	350	9,633	10,534
51-55	78,737	1,673	80,410	89,659	33,315	531	33,846	39,918
61	7,155	160	7,315	7,082	4,938	1	4,939	4,528
62	4,538	26	4,564	3,990	2,619	172	2,791	3,438
61-62	11,693	186	11,879	11,072	7,557	173	7,730	7,966
72	-	357	357	384	-	182	182	168
73 4/	813	1,749	2,562	2,183	-	50	50	144
77	275	-	275	152	142	-	142	291
72-77	1,088	2,106	3,194	2,719	142	232	374	603
81	7,735	6,561	14,296	15,144	121	269	390	444
82 5/	60	11	71	157	-	12	12	-
83	782	2,457	3,239	1,266	21	3,098	3,119	1,709
84	163	2	165	-	-	-	-	-
81-84	8,740	9,031	17,771	16,567	142	3,379	3,521	2,153
90	172,956	-	172,956	210,892	1,742	-	1,742	1,783
11-90	1,338,038	1,482,588	2,820,626	2,813,825	1,327,723	74,691	1,402,414	1,281,061

1/ These statistics represent the quantity of leaf tobacco reported as owned by all leaf tobacco dealers, manufacturers, quasi-manufacturers, growers' cooperative associations, warehousemen, brokers, holders, and owners subject to provisions of the Tobacco Stocks and Standards Act approved January 14, 1929, and the amendments thereto passed in the 72nd and 74th Congress. The quantities owned by dealers and manufacturers have been tabulated separately on a type total basis.

2/ This table should be considered as representing only the approximate quantities owned respectively by dealers and manufacturers. The quantities shown as owned by manufacturers include tobacco which is held under dealer registries of manufacturers and also tobacco held by dealers and known to be purchased on order for foreign or domestic manufacturers. The quantities shown as owned by dealers may include some tobacco held by dealers which is earmarked for sale to domestic manufacturers or for export. All Government loan stocks are included as dealer holdings.

3/ Includes stocks on the Island of Puerto Rico.

4/ For explanation of stocks included in this classification see footnote 4 on page 9.

5/ Does not include Sumatra and Java leaf held for sale in the Free Trade Zone.

Table 5.-Stocks of leaf tobacco owned by dealers and manufacturers, summary by types, April 1, 1957 compared with other quarters 1/

REPORTED WEIGHT

Type name	U.S. type number	April 1, 1957 2/			April 1, 1956	January 1, 1957	January 1, 1956
		Unstemmed	Stemmed	Total			
		1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Old and Middle Belt flue-cured	11	419,355	310,310	729,665	650,713	805,579	725,310
Eastern North Carolina flue-cured	12	470,098	304,598	774,696	682,979	837,864	762,966
South Carolina flue-cured (including Southeastern N. C.)	13	301,793	161,865	463,658	424,098	507,358	481,917
Georgia and Florida flue-cured	14	43,277	189,553	232,830	232,669	254,674	255,423
Total Flue-cured	11-14	1,234,523	966,326	2,200,849	1,990,459	2,405,475	2,225,616
Virginia fire-cured	21	21,889	242	22,131	24,244	20,551	21,384
Tennessee and Kentucky fire-cured (Eastern District)	22	108,955	385	109,340	100,700	76,594	74,416
Kentucky and Tennessee fire-cured (Western District)	23	29,059	134	29,193	29,042	19,309	20,485
Total Fire-cured	21-23	159,903	761	160,664	153,986	116,454	116,285
Burley	31	689,035	520,246	1,209,281	1,231,413	1,245,151	1,261,393
Low-nicotine	31-V	6	38	44	115	49	163
Southern Maryland	32	35,429	17,854	53,283	60,876	61,526	68,873
Total Light Air-cured	31-32	724,470	538,138	1,262,608	1,292,404	1,306,726	1,330,429
One Sucker	35	52,008	1,950	53,958	53,172	46,911	46,203
Green River	36	27,174	1,762	28,936	29,373	26,674	26,189
Virginia sun-cured	37	5,515	231	5,746	4,771	4,243	3,696
Total Dark Air-cured	35-37	84,697	3,943	88,640	87,316	77,828	76,088
Pennsylvania Seedleaf	41	108,595	5,934	114,529	115,859	83,511	89,105
Ohio Filler (Miami Valley)	42-44	21,521	1,099	22,620	23,398	18,748	18,523
Puerto Rico:							
In United States	46	3,079	18,538	21,617	23,202	23,731	21,608
In Puerto Rico	46	12,861	5,229	18,090	24,930	11,492	14,912
Total Cigar-filler	41-46	146,056	30,800	176,856	187,389	137,482	144,148
Connecticut Valley Broadleaf	51	28,636	465	29,101	35,649	27,242	30,703
Connecticut Valley Havana Seed	52	22,123	255	22,378	27,398	21,735	22,498
New York and Pa. Havana Seed	53	1,072	35	1,107	1,010	724	920
Southern Wisconsin	54	25,547	448	25,995	28,866	22,435	24,979
Northern Wisconsin	55	34,674	1,001	35,675	36,654	26,598	27,262
Total Cigar-binder	51-55	112,052	2,204	114,256	129,577	98,734	106,362
Connecticut shade	61	12,093	161	12,254	11,610	14,151	13,995
Georgia and Florida shade	62	7,157	198	7,355	7,428	8,062	8,767
Total Cigar-wrapper	61-62	19,250	359	19,609	19,038	22,213	22,762
Perique	72	-	539	539	552	495	495
Other Miscellaneous Domestic 3/	73	813	1,799	2,612	2,327	2,173	2,379
Domestic Aromatic	77	417	-	417	443	400	460
Total Miscellaneous Domestic	72-77	1,230	2,338	3,568	3,322	3,068	3,335
Cuba (Havana)	81	7,856	6,830	14,686	15,588	13,483	15,214
Sumatra and Java 4/	82	60	23	83	157	96	721
Philippine Islands (Manila)	83	803	5,555	6,358	2,975	5,461	1,007
Other foreign-grown cigar-leaf	84	163	2	165	-	27	-
Total Foreign-grown Cigar-leaf	81-84	8,882	12,410	21,292	18,720	19,067	16,942
Foreign-grown cigarette and smoking tobacco (Turkish and other)	90	174,698	-	174,698	212,675	169,593	175,266
Total All Types	11-90	2,665,761	1,557,279	4,223,040	4,094,886	4,356,640	4,217,233

1/ These statistics represent the quantity of leaf tobacco reported as owned by all leaf tobacco dealers, manufacturers, quasi-manufacturers, growers' cooperative associations, warehousemen, brokers, holders, and owners except (a) the original growers of tobacco; (b) manufacturers who in the first three quarters of 1956, according to the returns of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, manufactured less than 35,000 pounds of tobacco, less then 185,000 cigars, or less than 750,000 cigarettes, pursuant to the provisions of the Tobacco Stocks and Standards Act approved January 14, 1929, and the amendments thereto passed in the 72nd and 74th Congress.

2/ Subject to revision.

3/ For explanation of stocks included in this classification see footnote 4 on page 9.

4/ Does not include Sumatra and Java leaf held for sale in the Free Trade Zone.

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